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PATENT APPLICATION	First Inventor	Martin Stümpert		
TRANSMITTAL	Title	Connectivity Plane Routing		
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- (1) Utility Patent Application Transmittal (1 pages)
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- (3) Specification (19 pages)
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- (5) DEC/POA (unexecuted) (3 pages)
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